### COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

#### BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PURCHASED WATER ADJUSTMENT FILING OF ) CASE NO. MONROE COUNTY WATER DISTRICT ) 2014-00030

#### ORDER

On February 3, 2014, Monroe County Water District ("Monroe County") applied for approval to adjust its rates pursuant to the purchased water adjustment procedure<sup>1</sup>.

The Commission, having reviewed the record and being sufficiently advised, finds that:

- Monroe County purchases water from the city of Tompkinsville ("Tompkinsville").
- 2. On March 1, 2014, Tompkinsville increased its wholesale water rate to Monroe County from \$1.53 per 1,000 gallons to \$1.88 per 1,000 gallons.<sup>2</sup> Monroe County proposes to increase the water rates to its customers effective March 1, 2014.
- 3. During the 12 months ending November 30, 2013, Monroe County purchased 222,355,940 gallons of water from Tompkinsville and sold 198,098,060 gallons. The increase in the cost of purchased water is \$77,824.58, resulting in a purchased water adjustment of \$0.40 per 1,000 gallons.
- 4. The purchased water adjustment of \$0.40 per 1,000 gallons, as calculated in Appendix A to this Order, is fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> KRS 278.015; 807 KAR 5:068.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> TFS 2014-00029 (Ky. PSC Filed Jan. 17, 2014); Letter from Dennis Brent Kirtley, Tariff Branch Manager, Public Service Commission, to Jeff Proffitt, City of Tompkinsville (Feb. 18, 2014).

5. Monroe County's proposed rates, as set forth in Appendix B to this Order, are fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved for water service rendered on and after March 1, 2014.

#### IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. The purchased water adjustment of \$0.40 per 1,000 gallons is approved.
- 2. Monroe County's proposed rates are approved for water service rendered on and after March 1, 2014.
- 3. Within 20 days of the date of this Order, Monroe County shall file with the Commission, using the Commission's electronic Tariff Filing System, revised tariff sheets showing the rates approved herein.

By the Commission

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KENTUCKY PUBLIC
SERVICE COMMISSION

ATTEST

Executive Director

#### APPENDIX A

# APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2014-00030 DATED MAR 0 4 2014

	New Rate	Base Rate
Monroe County		
Purchases in gallons		
Thomkinsville Water	222,355,940	222,355,940
Volumetric rate	\$ 1.88/1,000	\$ 1.53/1,000
	\$ 418,029.17	\$ 340,204.59

Increased water cost \$77,824.58

Increased water cost \$77,824.58 Divided by gallons sold/1,000 \$198,098,060 \$0.3928

Purchased water adjustment factor \$0.40 per 1,000 gallons

### APPENDIX B

# APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2014-00030 DATED MAR 0 4 2014

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by Monroe County Water District. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under authority of the Commission prior to the effective date of this Order.

## **Monthly Water Rates**

5/8- X 3/4-Inch Meters First 2,000 Gallons Next 3,000 Gallons Next 5,000 Gallons Over 10,000 Gallons	\$ 17.95 Minimum Bill 7.30 Per 1,000 Gallons 6.10 Per 1,000 Gallons 5.20 Per 1,000 Gallons
1-Inch Meters First 5,000 Gallons Next 5,000 Gallons Over 10,000 Gallons	\$ 39.85 Minimum Bill 6.10 Per 1,000 Gallons 5.20 Per 1,000 Gallons
2-Inch Meters First 20,000 Gallons Over 20,000 Gallons	\$122.35 Minimum Bill 5.20 Per 1,000 Gallons
Wholesale Water Rate Glasgow Water Company Fountain Run Water District	\$ 2.51 Per 1,000 Gallons \$ 2.51 Per 1,000 Gallons

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